BEFORE THE

POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

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POSTAL RATE COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Complaint on Sunday and Holiday Collections

Docket No. C2001-1

DOUGLAS F. CARLSON NOTICE OF PARTIAL FILING OF TESTIMONY

September 12, 2001

Presiding Officer's Ruling No. C2001-1/11 set a deadline of September 17, 2001, for me to file testimony in this proceeding.

Today, I am submitting Part 1 of my direct testimony. I will file Part 2 within a reasonable time after the Postal Service provides data from the Collection Box Management System (CBMS) database in response to DFC/USPS-19. I have determined that I will need the CBMS data before I can address the topic of early collections on eves of holidays in a logical and comprehensive way. Part 2 of my testimony also will discuss collection boxes that improperly display holiday collection times, and CBMS data are necessary to complete this discussion.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 12, 2001

DOUGLAS F. CARLSON

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon the required parties in accordance with section 12 of the *Rules of Practice*.

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DOUGLAS F. CARLSON

September 12, 2001 Santa Cruz, California